

St Joseph's Primary School Schofields

St Joseph's Update

Term 1

Week 1 27 January 2016

NEED TO KNOW INFORMATION FOR THE BEGINNING OF 2016

Mathematical Assessment Interview (MAI) -

It was great to see so many parents and students attending their MAI appointment today. All class teachers are completing the MAI assessment over Wednesday and Thursday. If you are unable to book an appointment because the booking times were full your child's assessment will be completed in the coming weeks.

Meet and Greet Meeting

Meet and Greet opportunities for parents, students and teachers is scheduled for Week 3. A booking on line system will be advised in a letter coming home on Monday 1^{st} February. The purpose of the Meet and Greet meeting will be outlined in the letter and you will be asked to complete a questionnaire about your child. We have schedule Tuesday 9^{th} February between 2.45 - 7.45 pm. The meeting time will be 10 minutes. It is important that we stay to time, but if you believe you require a longer meeting, please arrange an alternative time by consulting with your child's teacher.

Sport Day

This year sport day will be Thursday for all grades. Miss Lauren Wheeler and Mrs Teresia Sobb will be teaching sport during teacher release from face to face .

P & C Calendar Dates for 2016

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Monday 1 February—Champagne & tissues for new kindy parents. Friday 19 February—Welcome Dinner to all new families to the school. Wednesday 9 March—P & C Meeting Friday 18 March—Easter Disco Thursday 24 March—Easter Raffle Good Friday—25 March Easter Monday 28 March Last Day Term 1-8 April

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR'S SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

Students can read anything they like to enter the challenge, whether it's a comic, play, piece of poetry, book, e-book or graphic novel. This year we have made the challenge easier to enter by removing the minimum number of books to read and provided students with more chances of winning a prize. Students just need to read something they enjoy and tell us in 50 words or less why they loved it.

The more material a student reads, the more times they can enter the reading challenge and the more chances they have of winning one of four iPad minis.

Entries open on 2 November 2015 and close at 5pm on <u>5 February 2016</u>.

To enter, go to <u>http://www.parra.catholic.edu.au/summer-reading-challenge</u>, click on Click Here To Enter and fill in the online form.